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SCHOOL BUILDING.

This building is 60x198 feet, containing chapels and school rooms for both deaf and blind, practice rooms, etc. One of the finest school buildings in the West



REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

OF THE

Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY.

JESSE F. McDONALD.

Governor of Colorado:

DEAR SIR:—I have the honor to submit herewith the sixteenth biennial report of the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind, for the term ending Nov. 30, 1906.

Looking back over the history of the school, we believe you have just cause for congratulation upon what it has accomplished, and what it is doing today.

Established only thirty years ago, with seven pupils, in a rented building, it has had under instruction up to the present time 609 young people, 414 deaf and 195 blind, with an enrollment this session of 153, all but two being from our own state: while a conservative estimate would place the value of the buildings and grounds at not less than \$300,000. The school has at times been hard pressed financially, as has been true of all our institutions, but it has at all times been blessed with the heartiest sympathy and support of the people of the state.

While the improvement in the school the last five or six years, along all lines, has been steady, the recent additions in real estate have probably been the most important events that have taken place. One of these, the purchase, with the aid of General Palmer, of twelve acres adjoining the school grounds, was spoken of at length in our last report. This exactly doubled the area of the tract upon which the school buildings are located, giving ample room for playgrounds and such growth as may be

expected for many years to come. The other was the purchase last August of 120 acres of school land lying just outside the city limits, securing to the school a location for the dairy so long as it may prove expedient to run it, and an excellent building site should it at some time be desirable to move out of the city. This land was placed on sale by the State Land Board, as aspecial favor to the school, and we wish to express hereby our appreciation of the action of the Board.

One other noteworthy improvement during the period covered by this report is the erection of the new Administration Building just completed. As the name indicates, it is to contain the offices, library, public parlors, quarters for the Superintendent, guest rooms, etc. The basement, which is practically above ground, has one large room for gymnastics and general purposes. and separate locker and bath rooms for each sex. The third story, which is left unfinished, will provide excellent rooms for help. The building is provided with modern conveniences and is built in the most substantial manner, with Peach Blow slate roof and the very best material throughout. Although the building is considerably smaller than originally planned, and we have practiced the most careful economy consistent with firstclass work, the cost has been \$45,423.57. The appropriation being but \$40,000.00, we shall have to ask the legislature to make up the deficit.

It has been the constant aim of your Board to give to the State the very best school possible with the means furnished, and it has been our earnest desire to have, sooner or later, one of the foremost institutions of the kind in the land. It is already favorably known as among the most progressive schools, and there is no reason why there should not be steady improvement, if we can enlist the sympathy and good will of our legislators as in the past.

We realize that it takes years and money to perfect a plant of this kind, but in the meantime there is loss to a class that can ill afford it, therefore our wish that the material equipment be made as complete as possible with no further delay than is absolutely necessary.

You will find our needs set forth more fully in the report of the Superintendent herewith submitted. Of the items mentioned many have been brought to our attention for years, notably the pipe organ, for which we have been asking the last twelve years. This would round out the work of our music department, placing us on an equal footing with any school for the blind in the country. On the ground that with no untoward accident, we may supply part of our wants from the current expense fund, we enumerate below those items most needed for which we must ask the next legislature.

To pay deficit in Building Fund\$5,423.57
To pay for 120 acres School Land, with interest 1,250.00
Pipe Organ 5,000.00
Electric Light Plant
To complete basement and attic of School Build-
ing and put in toilet rooms 5,000.00
Barn and Storage Shed
Grading and Piping Grounds, Cement Walks, etc. 3,000.00
Total\$33,173.57

There have been no changes in the personelle of the Board since last report, Mr. E. J. Eaton, who at that time was serving out an unexpired term, being appointed to succeed himself.

You are respectfully referred to the reports of the Superintendent, Musical Director, Physician, Oculist and Treasurer for such detail as may be of interest to you.

Please allow me to thank you for your deep personal interest in our school, shown by your frequent visits and your hearty participation wherever and whenever you felt that you might add to the efficiency of the school and the pleasure of our young people.

In behalf of the Board of Trustees,

Respectfully submitted.

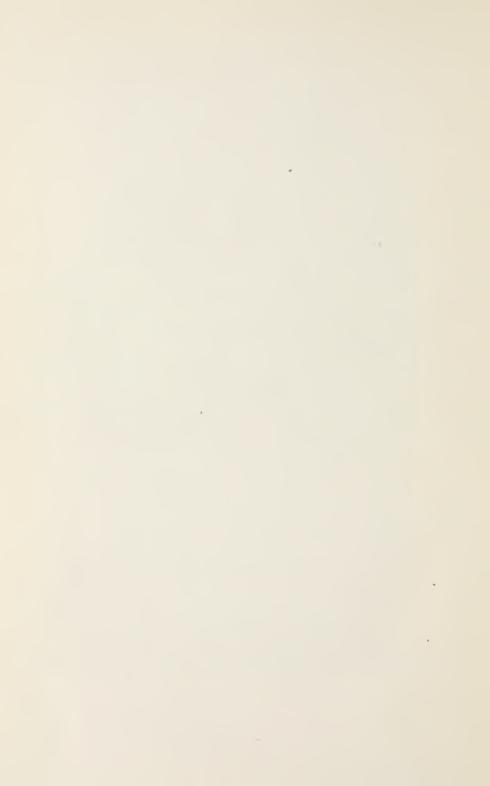
J. F. Humphrey, President.





GIRLS' HALL.

floor is used for bedrooms for smaller girls and hospital; the second floor for larger girls, three in a room and toilet rooms. The basement contains sitting and play rooms for both deaf and blind girls; the first The building is under the care of the Girls' Matron and Supervisor. This building is 97 feet long, 47 wide and three stories high including basement, with an annex for bath



SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT.

TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE COLORADO SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND THE BLIND:

We opened our last report two years ago by calling to mind your then recent acquisition of twelve acres of land adjoining the grounds, and congratulating you upon it as one of the most important business transactions in the history of the school, providing building space and play grounds for many years to come. It is now a very great pleasure to begin this resume of the two years' work, by reference to your latest good fortune in securing a deed to an additional one hundred and twenty acres. beautifully located just outside the city limits and within three-quarters of a mile of our present plant. This not only secures permanency for our dairy, which we have come to regard a necessity, but it also provides a future home for the school should it ever be found expedient or necessary to move out of the city, a contingency not unlikely to arise within the next thirty or forty years.

With our present holdings and locations, few schools are better provided for from a material standpoint, and, while you have for years carried the burden and worried over being "land poor," we are sure the end has justified the means and that your wisdom and foresight will be commended of all men for all time to come.

Following for convenience and ready reference the order of former reports, the first item is attendance of which the table below gives detail.

Attendance.

	Deaf	Blind	Total
Present Nov. 30, 1904. New pupils admitted since. Former pupils returned. Totals.	35	48 18 2 68	168 53 8 229

Accounted for as follows:

	Deaf	Blind	Total
Graduated	3	4 5 3 1 7 3 7	15 11 8 4 24 3 16
Total	52	30	82
Present Nov. 30, 1906	$\frac{109}{161}$	38 63	$\frac{147}{229}$

Deaf Boys	63	Blind	Boys	20
Deaf Girls	46	Blind	Girls	18

Attendance by Counties.

Framont	9	Montrose	1
Garfield	1	Morgan	1
Huerfano	2	Otero	4
Jefferson	3	Ouray	1
Kit Carson	1	Prowers	3
Lake	3	Pueblo	6
La Plata	3	Rio Grande	4
Larimer	7	Routt	1
Las Animas	5	San Miguel	1
Mesa	4	Teller	5
Montezuma	1	Weld	2
State of Wyoming	2		
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At the time of our report two years ago, the number of outside pupils had reached its highest limit. Since then Idaho has established a school of her own, two of the seven Wyoming pupils have graduated, one has moved to Colorado and two are at home, leaving but two at the present time from the outside. Counting out these and the graduating class in June, the number of children here from our own state is slightly larger than ever before.

We have sent out hundreds of circulars to county superintendents, school secretaries, postmasters and others ,and have followed up the cases very closely when names were secured. There are doubtless some children eligible who are not here, but in proportion to the school population but one state has a better record for attendance than Colorado, namely New York, which has seven large schools for the deaf and two for the blind, so distributed over the state that attendance is comparatively easy to all.

Health.

Five days after the opening of the present session our household was shocked by the sudden death of one of our blind girls, Hazel Keener, fourteen years of age, whose home was near Mancos. On her arrival on Wednesday Hazel told us she had not been well for some time, and on Friday, having some fever, she was sent to the hospital and the physician called. The symptoms were those of an ordinary billious attack and no alarm was felt, the Doctor seeing her every day, until the following Monday when the disease developed into spinal menengitis, terminating fatally the same day. The remains were sent to the sorrowing parents at Mancos accompanied by a large box of beautiful flowers, a tribute of love and esteem from her class and school mates; and later a most comforting letter was received from the mother, expressing her grateful appreciation of all that had been done for her beloved child.

On Friday, November 30th, the last day covered by this report, Ray Fisher and Willie Quinn of the blind department, aged fourteen and fifteen, were drowned in Prospect Lake while skating. The only witness of the catastrophe was Walter Owen who was with the boys at the time. He and Ray both possessed sufficient sight to enable them to go about freely, and all the pupils had been told to keep away from that particular part of the lake, but the warning probably only added to the fascination of the spot. The shock to our entire household was almost paralyzing in its effect, casting a gloom over all that only time can dispel. While the boys were full of life and animal spirits they were good boys and good students. Our hearts go out to the stricken families, for whom we ask divine guidance in this time of sore affliction, and we trust they may see through the cloud to the silver lining beyond.

Aside from these deaths, the general health of the pupils has been most gratifying. We have had two or three cases of scarlatina, all of them so mild as to be hardly recognizable, and some colds, influenza, etc. but the children have missed few

meals and little time from school. Regular habits, wholesome food, and plenty of exercise in the open air, all contribute to the physical welfare of our young people, many of them left below normal by the disease that caused their infirmity.

Changes.

At the close of the session of 1904–5, Mr. G. W. Veditz and Miss Olga Gebhart of the teaching force severed their connection with the school, their places being filled by the appointment of Mr. J. C. Winemiller and Miss Katharine E. Barry, the latter taking the position of head-teacher in the primary and intermediate departments. In January 1905, Miss Mabel Park was added to the faculty and in January 1906, Miss Martha Rogers became a member of our corps. Miss Lillian Curd resigned in June, 1906, to go abroad for a year, and just before the opening of the present session, Mr. Lawrence E. Milligan left us to assume the superintendency of the Montana School. These places have not yet been permanently filled.

In the Industrial Department Miss Eliza Todd, teacher of needlework to the blind, left to take charge of a private pupil, her successor being Miss Edith M. Gardner who, in turn, gave place to the present incumbent, Miss Pearl Reid. Pd. B., a graduate of the State Normal. Mr. J. Q. Potter, who had charge of the broom-making, etc. was succeeded a year ago by Mr. S. W. Brown, an experienced mechanic. Mr. J. W. Ayres and Mr. W. H. Dunman, foremen of the shoe-shop and grounds respectively, have been followed by Mr. Carl Walter and Mr. Edwin Pierce.

In the Domestic Department, our very efficient girls' Matron was compelled to resign last August on account of ill health, Mrs. Margaret Carson being appointed to fill the vacancy. Mr. Fred Bates and Mrs. S. G. Johnston now fill the positions of boys' supervisors held by Mr. Thos. Y. Northern and Mrs. J. K. McGoodwin.

As a rule we deplore changes but where there are from fifty to sixty employees, we must expect them. Ill health, a desire for change and travel, opportunities for betterment either pecuniarily or otherwise, all of them perfectly legitimate, conspire to keep the superintendent on the lookout for material to fill vacancies, a task not the least onerous of his many duties.



INDUSTRIAL BUILDING.

This building is 13x102 feet, containing printing office, shoe shop, art rooms, sewing rooms, carpenter shop, broom and mattress shop, laundry, bakery, paint shop, etc.



The School Room.

An innovation, or rather a return to the old order of things. was made last September when the hours were changed, giving the entire forenoon to school work and the afternoons to the trades. For the last eight years the pupils had been in school from 7:50 to 12 M., and from 1:30 to 2:30 P. M., going to the shops after school and remaining there until 4:30, the time allotted to each being, theoretically, five and two hours respectively. The school hours were the full five, though the hour after dinner was not found of as much value as a similar length of time in the forenoon, but the time spent in the shops was never over an hour and three quarters, usually nearer an hour and a half. The pupils had too little time at the noon hour to change to old clothes and back again for school, hence their better clothing suffered from rough handling on the play ground, which could not be prevented without depriving the children of the exercise in the open air. Under the present regime, school begins at 7:45 and closes at 12:40, with a ten minute recess at 10:40, the total time being divided into five periods of fifty to fifty-five minutes each. Dinner is served at 12:50 after which the pupils change to their working clothes and play until 1:55, when all go to the shops for a full period of two and a half hours. This gives one full hour more for exercise before the call to supper at 5:40.

We have found considerable difference of opinion as to the proper division of time between the school and the shops, some going so far as to make the two periods equal and as low as three hours each. We have given the matter much thought, looking at it from all sides, with reference to the education of both the mind and muscle and the equipment of the pupil for after life, and it would be hard to convince us that any less time than we give to the literary work would be adequate to the needs of the ordinary deaf child. For the blind, the five periods include at least one, sometimes two music lessons or practise hours, allowing three or four periods for recitations and class work, the shops coming in the afternoon as with the deaf.

We have made no change in method the last two years in either department. Among schools for the deaf, ours is classed with those using what is known as the "combined system." an accurate definition of which as given in the American Annals is

as follows: "Speech and speech-reading are regarded as very important, but mental development and the acquisition of language are regarded as still more important. It is believed that in many cases mental development and the acquisition of language can be best promoted by the Manual or the Manual alphabet method, and, as far as circumstances permit such method is chosen for each pupil as seems best adapted for his individual cases. Speech and speech-reading are taught where the measure of success seems likely to justify the labor expended, and in most of the schools some of the pupils are taught wholly or chiefly by the Oral method or by the Auricular method." Other Methods of Instruction enumerated by the same authority are the Manual Method, making use of signs, the manual alphabet and writing; the Manual Alphabet Method, using only the manual alphabet and writing; the Oral Method where all instruction is given by means of speech and speech-reading and writing with emphasis upon the speech and speech-reading; and the Auricular Method used with those more or less hard of hearing.

In the Tabular Statement of American Schools for the Deaf in the Annals for January of the present year, we find the following figures: Of the fifty-seven public schools for the deaf in the United States, representing forty-three states and territories and the District of Columbia, with a total attendance of 11,344. forty-six are classed as "Combined" with 9916 pupils; six as Oral with 1072 pupils; three as Manual with 140 pupils; and one as using the Manual Alphabet Method with 184 pupils. Since the policy of these schools is, in large measure, dictated by their heads, it is easy to see what the general opinion is as to the proper system to be employed under present conditions in most states. In all the "Combined" schools, oral instruction is given to a varying percentage of pupils, and in many, oral classes are conducted without the use of signs or spelling in the school room.

While educators of the deaf differ widely as to the percentage that may be taught profitably by the oral method, they are practically agreed upon the following:

FIRST, that the semi-mute and semi-deaf should be taught orally.

Second, That many of the congenitally deaf may become fair talkers and good lip-readers.

THIRD, That all new pupils should be placed in oral classes and kept there until it is clearly shown that they have no talent for speech or lip-reading.

FOURTH, That all classes for the deaf should be small, especially oral classes.

FIFTH, That the indiscriminate use of the sign language in the school room and out, on any and all occasions, is detrimental to the best interests of the pupil.

SIXTH, That an ideal condition of things would be a school so arranged, on the cottage plan, that the orally and manually taught could be entirely separated, and

Seventh, That whatever the system, only the very best teachers should be employed.

In the Blind Department we have tried to be conservative and our methods do not differ greatly from those of other schools. Using New York Point in our school work, we have taken little part in the controversy as to systems of print beyond expressing ourselves as willing at any time to drop ours and adopt any system unanimously agreed upon by the schools of the United States. Believing the possession of an accurate and retentive memory to be one of the best assets of the blind, we insist upon its cultivation from the beginning of the course to the end, and require all work in mathematics to be done mentally, using the point slates for partial products under certain circumstances. Music is committed from the manuscript in Point as well as from dictation. The classes in this department are small, well graded and, we believe, well taught.

Manual Training and Shops.

The little fellows, boys and girls, deaf and blind, spend two hours a week in manual training classes doing raffia and reed work, and elementary woodwork, drawing articles to be make to a scale, learning the names, processes, etc. In addition to this the little girls have two hours in the sewing rooms under other instructors. As soon as old enough both boys and girls are placed regularly in the shops two and a half hours daily. For the deaf boys instruction in carpentry, shoemaking, printing and painting are provided and an opportunity is given to learn something of both gardening and dairying. The blind boys are

taught piano tuning, broom and mattress making, chair caning. rug weaving and how to knit hammocks and laundry bags. All girls, both blind and deaf, have regular lessons in darning, sewing and cooking.

We have not found it possible under our system of from two to two and a half hours a day, to teach any trade thoroughly during a pupil's school life here, nor do we believe the failure to be the fault of either the instructor, the equipment, or the system. A pupil going into the shopes at thirteen and graduating at nineteen, averaging two and a half hours a day for forty weeks of the year, would put in a total of 4200 hours, all of it in homeopathic doses and most of it at the most irresponsible age. Contrast this with what is demanded of one of our last year's graduates, who decided on leaving school to become a book binder—eight hours a day, fifty weeks in a year for four years before she can have a union card, a total of 9600 hours for one of mature years, in eight hour periods where the mind and the hand are kept steadily upon the work acquiring the necessary skill to become a proficient wage earner. We do claim, however to give an elementary knowledge of the trades taught, of very great value to the pupil should he determine to pursue the same calling in after life, and, what is even more important, to inculcate habits of industry that will go far toward assuring success in whatever line of work may be taken up. A proof that our efforts are not without results is found in the facts that our graduates from both departments are almost without exception self-respecting, self-supporting citizens, hoeing their own row in the world, and keeping well in line with the rank and file of those in possession of all their faculties.

Graduates.

The number of graduates in the last two years has been unusually large for a school as small as ours. Many of the young people who come to us leave school before completing the course of study in order to begin earning money, and others, finding it impossible to do the work required for a diploma, drop out before the time allowed them at school has expired. Most of these manage to get along without serious trouble, but we feel much more sure of the future of those who leave us with our certificate, given for honest effort and at least moderate attainment.



MODEL COTTAGE, DOMESTIC SCIENCE.



CLASS OF 1905. Blind Department.

Carl J. Balfour, Vancouver, Wash. John Braley, Franklin, Idaho. Ralph Davis, Denver, Colo. Chester Kerr, Sheridan, Wyo.

DEAF DEPARTMENT. Leroy Henderson, Durango, Colo. Sylvia Hewitt, Colorado Springs, Colo.

CLASS OF 1906.

DEAF DEPARTMENT.

Fred Bates, Denver, Colo.
John Clesson, La Junta, Colo.
Ella Duffy, Denver, Colo.
Stephen Janovick, Florence, Colo.
Mabel Jensen, Denver, Colo.
Nellie McCormick, Colo. Springs, Colo.
Edith Williams, Denver, Colo.
Pearl Williams, Steamboat Springs, Colo.
Baxter Mosey, Evanston, Wyo

The address at the closing exercises in June 1905 was delivered by Chancellor Buchtel of Denver University, our next Governor, who spoke to the pupils in his inimitable way as to how to live properly and profitably. At the Commencement of 1906 we had a scholarly address from Dr. Z. X. Snyder of the State Normal, with the presentation of diplomas by Governor Brooks of Wyoming, and a short speech from our own Governor McDonald. One of the pleasing features of the Commencement season was a very successful dinner at the Domestic Science Cottage, given by one of the cooking classes to the two Governors. Mrs. McDonald the wife of our governor, three members of the State Board of Charities of Wyoming and our own Board of Trustees.

Improvements.

The most important item under this head has been the erection of the Administration Building for which provision was made at the last session of the legislature. The structure is of stone, 46 feet 2 inches by 88 feet 4 inches, two stories with basement and an attic which, when finished, will afford a number of excellent living rooms. The basement, the floor of which is but eighteen inches below grade, contains locker rooms and shower baths for both boys and girls, and a larger airy room 32 by 60,

which may be used for health drills, entertainments of all sorts. play room. etc. On the first floor are the offices, public parlors. library, and the Superintendent's dining room and kitchen; the second floor contains the Superintendent's living rooms and a number of spare rooms. The building throughout is of the very best material with every modern convenience, heated by steam and lighted by electricity---with gas for use in emergency. space vacated in the old building will be used by the boys. relieving the crowded condition of the dormitories and adding to their comfort in many ways. We very much hope that future administrations may carry out your plans as to the nature and location of the buildings next in order, namely first, the erection of a large fire-proof building for boys on the north side of the grounds, on the cottage plan, separating the larger from the smaller boys; and next, the replacing of the present boys' building with one containing dining rooms, kitchen, bakery and store room, with reading-rooms and library for both sexes. would give to the state one of the best arranged schools in the country, locating the sexes with relation to each other and the buildings used in common, almost as well as if the plant were entirely new and the result of a definite, well considered plan.

The greatest improvement to our buildings has been the change in the heating plant under the direction of our engineer Mr. Taylor, by which the heating is done with considerable economy of steam and entirely without noise, a very objectionable feature, unavoidable under the old arrangement.

Previous to last year our girls, in coming to the dining room from the Girls' Hall, were obliged to line up in a little dark hall in the rear of the Boys' Building. To obviate this and add to the convenience and comfort of all concerned, a vestibule or cloak room, twelve by fifty feet, was built south of the dining room. connected with it by a short corridor, affording room for all to line up nicely before entering the room. The hall vacated by the girls is now used for the blind boys, for whom it is plenty large and very convenient.

One of the green houses, which was about to fall down, was removed by the pupils, and a new one built on another part of the grounds. The glass part of this house is 30 by 57, with a potting room at the north end 12 by 32 in the clear. The body of the house is supported by iron posts set in cement and is

THE HOSPITAL.



sheathed, papered and shingled inside and out, the shingles being dipped in oil while in the bale, and allowed to dry before using. The bench supports are of inch pipe, the walks and floor of the potting rooms are of cement, and great care was taken to build a house modern and durable. All the pipe cutting and a large part of the carpenter and cement work was done by the pupils.

In addition to keeping the building in almost perfect repair. other permanent improvements participated in more or less by all our working force have been the grading of Palmer Field; the erection of a most substantial iron and wire fence on the north and east sides of the new territory adjoining the school: the laying of two lines of water pipe through this new addition; three or four new chicken and pig houses at the dairy, made from old shacks moved off the new ground; a cement over-flow ten feet high on Institute Street under the direction of the city Engineer of Colorado Springs, preparatory to filling in the south-west corner of the grounds; and the laying of more than three hundred feet of six inch tile to carry off the water from the drain pipes of the new building

The latest improvement, not yet fully completed, is the installation of an intercommunicating, non-interfering telephone system, with eighteen stations, all wires to the various buildings being laid underground in galvanized iron pipe.

For several years the school has taken the first prize for the best kept public grounds, until last year, when the Antlers Park was entered and we came out second. Owing to the torn up condition of the grounds on account of the new building, the place was not entered this last summer, but our Mr. Pierce was able to carry off some twenty-three prizes at the Flower Show in August, for flowers and vegetables of various kinds.

The Boarding Department.

Our pupils come to us in September and leave in June as in any other of the state schools, the only difference being that we furnish board and lodging in addition to tuition. Our buildings are all steam heated and lighted by electricity. The older pupils live two or three in a room, the younger in dormitories of from seven to twenty. Each pupil has his own individual bed, wardrobe, and locker in which he keeps his towels.

brush and comb, tooth brush, etc., and the proper care of the person is enforced upon all. The food stuffs are of the best quality and every effort is made to have them cooked and served in a wholesome and palatable form. All have the very best milk in unlimited quantities three times a day. The pupils take great pride in the appearance of their rooms and the dining room, and we venture the assertion that few housekeepers could make a better showing with the material at hand.

Medical Attendance.

Our oculist and aurist, Dr. Marbourg, is in regular attendance twice a week, and at other times when necessary, treating all who need his services. The physician, Dr. Anderson, comes on call and handles each case as occasion requires. Our little hospital, in charges of a most excellent nurse, has been a very great comfort to our entire household. All ailing children are sent there whether really sick or not, and if the symptoms warrant it the physician is called at once. In addition to the care of the sick, the nurse makes daily applications to the eyes, nose and throat under the direction of the doctor enabling him to carry out a course of treatment carefully and systematically.

Gymnasium.

While the large play-room in the basement of the new building could not in any sense be called or converted into a modern, model gymnasium, it does afford a place where corrective drills of various kinds may be given to advantage and, with this in view, Miss Helen Woodsmall has been engaged to take charge of the department for the school year. Deaf children drag their feet in walking and the blind are inclined to hang their heads and droop their shoulders. If Miss Woodsmall, with the help of the teachers, can counteract this tendency, we shall feel fully repaid for the outlay of time and money.

While on this subject I would recommend the erection of additional out door gymnastic apparatus. In this climate, where that sort of work may be done outside almost every day of the year, there is no doubt as to the value of such apparatus in stimulating the young people to greater activity, and there is little danger in its use under competent supervison.

What We Need.

To accomplish the best work in the deaf department we need two additional teachers. In a school so small as ours, classifica-



SECOND YEAR CLASS, DEAF DEPARTMENT.



tion is difficult, necessitating two, sometimes three divisions in many of the classes. We also have many pupils who, taken individually, could accomplish far more than in the divisions as we now have them. There is also additional growth to be provided for in both departments.

For some twelve or fifteen years we have been asking for a pipe organ for our blind department and the need for it has not grown less as time has passed. Only this year one of our blind boys was able to secure a very nice position, which he could not have had without some knowledge of the organ, obtained on the side, and we have now pupils who could profit greatly by instruction on that instrument.

It has been demonstrated that the deaf make excellent operators on the lineotype and our office should have one.

The carpenter shop needs a pony planer and Universal woodworking machine.

Our sewer system has been added to from time to time until it is now inadequate to our needs and should be overhauled and provided with manholes. This matter should not be allowed to lie over much longer.

All the buildings except the one just finished should have two coats of paint within the next year.

The school building should be provided with toilet rooms and lavatories and a number of school rooms should be provided in the basement, which is almost entirely above ground; also some music rooms in the attic.

The laundry is still in crowded quarters and needs relief. By building a bakery and turning the room now used for that purpose into the laundry, there will be ample room conveniently located.

We need a larger barn, where all our wagons and other implements may be stored.

The school should have its own electric light plant. We would not hope to run the plant for less money than we now pay for light, but we are sure we could have a great deal more light than we use now for the same cost, besides using the current profitably for other purposes.

The grounds should be surveyed and carefully graded, after a systematic plan, by some competent landscape gardener. As it is now, we work along in the dark, so to speak, doing a little

patch here and there, as seems best at the time, resulting in the end in anything but a homegenious whole.

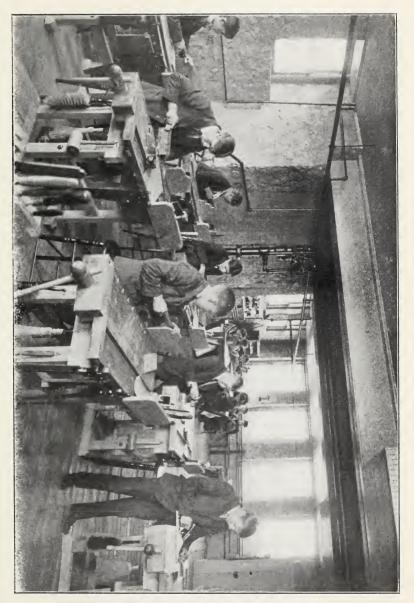
There should come a time in the history of a school like ours, when the physical should be completely provided for—in other words, when there are buildings enough, thoroughly equipped and furnished, when the grounds are laid out, graded and planted, and fences built, leaving only the repairs and such changes as natural growth may entail to be looked after. Unfinished, poorly equipped buildings, unsightly fences and unkempt grounds, all are sources of worry to the management of a plant, where the chief aim is to instil a love for order and system. Of course we realize, after all these years, that growth is slow, inside and out, but we are sure that if the outside, the physical, were put in perfect order, the inside, the raw material, the pupil, could be handled much more satisfactorily.

Buildings and grounds do not make a school, nor does money of itself make a school, but properly appointed buildings and grounds contribute largely to the success of the work and a judicious expenditure of money, with heart and brain behind it, is very effective in securing results. Let us work and pray, and pray and work for the time when, with every foot of house and land in perfect order, we may expend the bulk of both energy and money directly upon the little people entrusted to our care.

Acknowledgements.

From the day of its opening to the present time, the school has enjoyed the confidence and good will of the people of the state, and any deprivation it may have suffered in times past has been well nigh unavoidable. No appeal to any legislature has ever gone unheeded and it is primarily to these representatives of the people that our gratitude for this splendid plant is due.

It would be impossible to adequately express our appreciation of the goodness of the people of Colorado Springs toward the school. We not only get anything we ask for, at any time, but usually our wants are anticipted, and we are saved even the asking. And when we do make an occasional request for some favor, the apology for not having thought to offer it is so sincere, and the assent is so graciously given that we are sure we make no mistake in saying we have in our city many of the best people on earth.



SLOYD ROOM.



We must mention especially the thoughtfulness of the Colorado Springs Musical Club through which our blind children are enabled to enjoy hearing the very best artists in the country. These treats are not only enjoyable, but of real benefit to the young people, inspiring them to their best efforts in their own work along musical lines.

The parents of our children are careful to remember them at Christmas time, but we have several who are orphans, for whom there is none to provide. Strange to say some one always sends in extra money or gifts for these, so they have never yet known what it was to be forgotten. Last year Mrs. Lillian Krum, now living in El Paso, Texas, Mrs. E. Macy, of Canon City, and Mrs. Capt. Emerson of this city had the privilege and pleasure of providing the Christmas boxes for this class of children. At the same time a beautiful doll house was presented to the little folks by Mrs. Kinney.

Another friend to humanity in general, and the school in particular, enabled one of the older girls to go through the winter in comfort, after an especially trying experience the summer before.

We must also remember gratefully our railroad friends from President to Porter for never-failing kindness to our children and, in many instances, personal interest in them.

Conclusion.

The last two years have been in many respects the most prosperous and gratifying in the history of the school. The pupils have had more personal, individual attention, in and out of school, than ever before and, to their credit, they have appreciated it. You have a corps of teachers and officers well qualified and thoroughly in earnest, and the relations existing between teacher and pupil have been almost ideal. The children have taken a real interest in the care of the property, and, as our carpenter can testify, there has not for years been so little breakage or general wear and tear. All this very desirable condition of things is due directly to the perfect harmony that has characterized your every action, the unanimity with which you have insisted upon providing the very best at your command for these young people, in school and out, your policy of keeping every building in perfect repair, and your courage in attempting

the apparently impossible and accomplishing it. You may felicitate yourselves that so many opportunities for large things in so short a time, seldom fall to the lot of any one Board of Trustees, and you should congratulate yourselves on having seized and made the most of every opportunity.

With gratitude to Him, who hath so signally blessed the school in all its history and an abiding faith that He will con-

tinue to guide and direct its affairs, I am,

Very Respectfully.

W. K. Argo, Sup't.



WORK ROOM, BLIND DEPARTMENT.



MUSIC DIRECTOR'S REPORT.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Nov. 30, 1906.

W. K. Argo, Sup't. School for Deaf and Blind, Colorado Springs, Colo.

Dear Sir:-

Complying with your request I have to report that the department has under instruction, 37 pupils.

Piano pupils	37
Harmony pupils	
Violin pupils	. 7
Orchestra pupils	9
Voice Culture	. 2
Tuning	2
Cornet	2
Flute	1

The department would be very much better equipped for preparing our pupils for future usefulness if we had a first class pipe-organ. Such an instrument as I think our school should have would cost in the neighborhood of \$5000.00. We would like to ask for an appropriation of \$1000.00 for the purpose of purchasing one new grand piano and one new upright piano, which amount I think would leave sufficient funds to repair the two old grand pianos. This, in addition to the present equipment, would put the piano department on a very fair basis. The chief matter, however, is a more compact arrangement of teaching and practice rooms. Under existing conditions the teacher must necessarily spend considerable time in going to and from the various practice rooms. But the great difficulty is the lack of supervision over the practice, especially of the children.

It seems to me that either the attic or the basement of the school building might be adapted to practice rooms without any great cost, perhaps not to exceed \$4,500 to \$5,000. You will pardon me for giving this particular point so much emphasis but I do not think the benefit of such an arrangement could be over estimated.

Trusting that the work, in this department has commended itself to you sufficiently to warrant you in still further equiping it, I remain,

Very respectfully,
A. L. Bohrer.
Director of Music.

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

To the Board of Trustees of the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind:—

The excellent health prevailing in the Institution during the past two years and since my last report, necessarily and fortunately requires but a brief statement of health and sanitary conditions at the present time. During the past two years a few cases of Scarletina or mild scarlet fever developed and treated. likewise only a few cases of mild Tonsilitis; one acute case of Appendicitis requiring operation which was performed, resulting in speedy recovery; a few minor accidents which yielded to treatment with no bad ulterior results.

One death occurred during the past two years, a girl developing malignant Cerebro Spinal Meningitis which proved fatal within a short time.

The recommendations and suggestions which I would make are first, a diet kitchen at the hospital building which is of much importance and the greatest necessity as an aid in the treatment of any and all cases of acute illness; the enlargement of the laundry which from a sanitary point of view, is at present greatly overcrowded and deleterious to good health; additional toilet closets in the school building, those at present being inadequate for the use of the present, not to say, increasing number of pupils; and an out-door gymnasium as offering the greatest feature in perfecting and developing physical growth and perpetuating good health of those pupils participating. Compulsory attendance by all pupils I would suggest be required, the requirement and amount of exercise, of course, being governed by the instructors and attendants.

The sanitation of the Institution is, in every respect, all that could be desired and scientifically such as preventive medicine would endorse.

Very Respectfully,

B. P. Anderson, M. D.



TUNING ROOM -BLIND DEPARTMENT.



OCULIST'S REPORT.

To the Board of Trustees of the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind:—

The general condition of the pupils as to my particular branches has been very favorable during the present term.

A large number of cases of Otorrhea (Discharging Ears) have been treated and marked improvement shown.

Among the eyes, several pupils have been fitted with glasses allowing them to pursue their studies with greater ease.

One or two cases among the blind give promise of improvement through operative measures.

Thus far no epidemic has shown itself among the pupils.

Very Respectfully,

E. M. Marbourg, Oculist and Aurist.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

Colorado Springs, Colo., Dec. 6th, 1906.

To the Board of Trustees of the Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind:

Ladies and Gentlemen:—I most respectfully submit herewith my report as Treasurer of said School for the Biennial Term ending November 30th, 1906.

RECEIPTS.

Date	Receipts	Amount	Total
1904 Dec. 19	Auditor of State	\$ 2,000.00	
1905 Feb. 1 6	W. K. Argo. B'd. and Tuition	1556.67	
Feb. 16	" " " Miscellaneous	351.42	
Feb. 17 Mch. 29	Auditor of State	4200.00 9500.00	
Apl. 12	W. K. Argo. B'd, and Tuition	82.14	
Apl. 12 Apl. 13	" " Miscellaneous	\$24.56 4509.00	
May 8	" " "	5300.00	
June 2 June 2	W. K. Argo. B'd. and Tuition " " Miscellaneous	2639 10 1089 30	
June 16 July 25	Auditor of State	5979.99 4436.41	
Aug. 12	W. K. Argo. B'd and Tuition	716.70	
Aug. 12 Aug. 16	" " Miscellaneous	502.18 6026.94	
Sept. 14	" " "	9701.42	
Oct. 6 Oct. 16	W. K. Argo	787.77 11347.77	
Nov. 27 Dec. 16	W. K. Argo. B'd and Tuition	3192 02 499.93	
Dec. 16	" " Miscellaneous	441.66	
Dec. 18	Auditor of State	2387.56	
Jan. 17	Auditor of State	2011.14	
Feb. 13 Feb. 13	W. K. Argo B'd and Tuition	499.98 357.51	
Mch. 5	Auditor of State	1560.66	
Mch. 14 Ap'l 10	W. K. Argo. B'd and Tuition	4127.69 499.98	
Ap'l. 10 Ap'l. 18	" " " Miscellaneous	305 49 15124.50	
May 23	16 66	13293.76	
June 6 June 19	W. K. Argo. Miscellaneous	609.20 2170.91	
Aug. 3	46 66 66	1845.87	
Aug. 9 Sept. 10	W. K. Argo. Miscellaneous	450.51 1636.28	
Sept. 20	" "	11172.16	134239.20



ART ROOM.



RECEIPTS—Continued.

Date	Receipts	Amount Total
Oct. 17 Nov. 28 Dec. 7	W. K. Argo. Miscellaneous	559.12 \$134239.20 10439.87 2690 52 2234.84 166.66 230.35 \$ 16321.36
	Total	\$150560.56

DISBURSEMENTS.

Date	No. of Warrant Paid	Amount Total
Feby. 9 April 6. June 1. Aug. 13. Oct. 5.	Paid deficit as per last Statement Paid Warrants Nos. 7229 to 7589 Paid Warrants Nos. 7590 to 7746 Paid Warrants Nos. 7747 to 7906 Paid Warrants Nos. 7907 to 7995 Paid Warrants Nos. 7996 to 8151 Paid Warrants Nos. 8152 to 8241	12499.03 11715.10 13254.14 6601.42 9914.84
April 7. May 31. Aug. 9 Oct. 5. Dec. 6.	Paid Warrants Nos. 8242 to 8343 Paid Warrants Nos. 8344 to 8434 Paid Warrants Nos. 8435 to 8518 Paid Warrants Nos. 8519 to 8530 Paid Warrants Nos. 8581 to 8663 Paid Warrants Nos. 8664 to 8779 Balance on hand Total	12697.44 12523.99 11625.42 3762.48 8797.37 17401.21 2787.19

BUILDING FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Date						Amount	Total
1905 Dec. 22. F 1906 July 26. F	do do do Auditor o	do do do of State	Warrant Warrant Warrant	No.	4965 4966 4967 5110	5000.00 5000.00 5000.00 \$20000.00	\$40000,00

BUILDING FUND-Continued.

Date	DISBURSEMENTS.		Total
Dec. 15 Paid Dec. 15 Paid Dec. 15 Paid 1906 Jan. 18 Paid Feb'y 13 Paid March 7 Paid May 1 Paid July 25 Paid July 25 Paid Aug. 4 Paid Sept. 4 Paid Sept. 7 Paid Oct. 1 Paid Oct. 9 Paid Nov. 15 Paid Dec. 6 Balar	Warrant No. 1. Warrant No. 2. Warrant No. 3. Warrant No. 4. Warrant No. 5. Warrant No. 6. Warrant No. 7. Warrant No. 8. Warrant No. 10. Warrant No. 11. Warrant No. 11. Warrant No. 13. Warrant No. 14. Warrant No. 15. led Warrant No. 16. Warrant No. 17. Warrant No. 18. nce on hand. tal disbursements.	\$ 456.48 220.50 132.33 900.00 1200.00 2300.00 7500.00 4800.00 2000.00 3200.00 600.00 3400.00 600.00 500.00 3645.10 3845.59	\$40000.00

PALMER LIBRARY FUND.

This fund consists of ten thousand dollars donated by General William J. Palmer, and is at present invested in Lots 6, 7 and 8, Block 4, Bristol Heights Addition. The rental obtained from the three residences, less the cost of repairs, is set apart for the purchase of reading matter for both departments of the school. According to the conditions of the gift, these properties can be used for no other purpose unless provision be made by the State for the investment of an equal amount in approved securities for the use of the Fund.

With the consent of the donor, the income from the fund up to Nov. 30, 1905, was used for current expenses, to help in paying for land, the appropriation for which, made in 1903, failed to materialize.

Date.	RECEIPTS.	Amount	Total
April 10 June 6 Aug. 11 Oct. 5	W. K. Argo W. K. Argo W. K. Argo W. K. Argo W. K. Argo W. K. Argo	128.50 110.00 124.00 106.00	\$678.50

BOYS' BED-ROOM.



Date.	DISBURSEMENTS.	Amount	Total
1906			
	Paid Warrant No. 1		
April 7	Paid Warrant No. 2	7.30	
May 31	Paid Warrant No. 3	38.06	
May 31	Paid Warrant No. 4	32.50	
	Paid Warrant No. 5	35.62	
Oct. 1	Paid Warrant No. 6	6.60	
Oct. 1	Paid Warrant No. 7	4.50	
Dec. 6	Paid Warrant No. 8	96.00	
	Paid Warrant No. 9	1.13	
Dec. 6	Balance on hand	453.39	
	Total		\$678.50

SUMMARY.

GENERAL FUND.

Receipts.	Amount	Total
Auditor of State	6661.21 6519.04	\$150560.5t
Disbursements.	Amount	Total
To paid deficit To paid Warrants Nos. 7429 to 8779 inclusive To balance on hand Total	133134.93 2787.19	\$150560.56
BUILDING FUND.		
Receipts.	Amount	Total
Auditor of State	\$10000.00	\$40000.00
Disbursements.	Amount	Total
To paid Warrants Nos. 1 to 18 inclusive To balance n hand Total	\$36154 41 3845.59	\$40000.00

LIBRARY FUND.

Receipts.	Amount	Total
W. K. Argo	\$678.50	\$678.50
Disbursements.	Amount	Total
To paid Warrants Nos. 1 to 9 inclusive To balance on hand	\$225 11 453.39	\$678.50

Very Respectfully,

A. J. LAWTON, Treasurer.

ITEMIZED STATEMENT OF EXPENSES. FROM DECEMBER 1, 1904, TO DECEMBER 1, 1906.

ITEMS.	1905	1906
Clothing	\$1041.14	\$ 796.84
Drugs and Hospital Supplies	181.25	250.27
Dry Goods, Bedding, etc	444.41	513.71
Food		7396.39
Freight and Express		1000.00
Fuel	2120.68	2214.05
Furniture	371.76	394.70
Garden	117.69	63 89
Groceries, not food	94.09	83.67
Household Supplies	629.84	794.63
Improvements and Repairs		8273.90
Insurance	1098.84	25.34
Interest	674.18	20.01
Laundry Supplies	259.88	382.28
Library	236.06	149.32
Lighting	749 96	791 18
Live Stock, Vehicles, etc	259.13	202.55
Medical Attendance, Dentistry, etc	597.11	658 55
Miscellaneous	274.20	210.75
Postage, Felephone, etc	263.73	308.20
Printing and Advertising	3 40	17 49
Provender	2044.01	2051.68
Salaries and Wages	36280.29	36922.51
School Supplies	917.01	548.01
Shop Expenses	1302 82	1665.54
Stationery and Office Supplies	115.66	97.81
Traveling Expenses	1609.20	1313 05
Water	638.00	681.60
Totals		\$66807.91



GIRLS' BED ROOM--OLDER PUPILS.



LIST OF PUPILS

IN ATTENDANCE FROM NOVEMBER 30, 1904, TO DECEMBER 1, 1906.

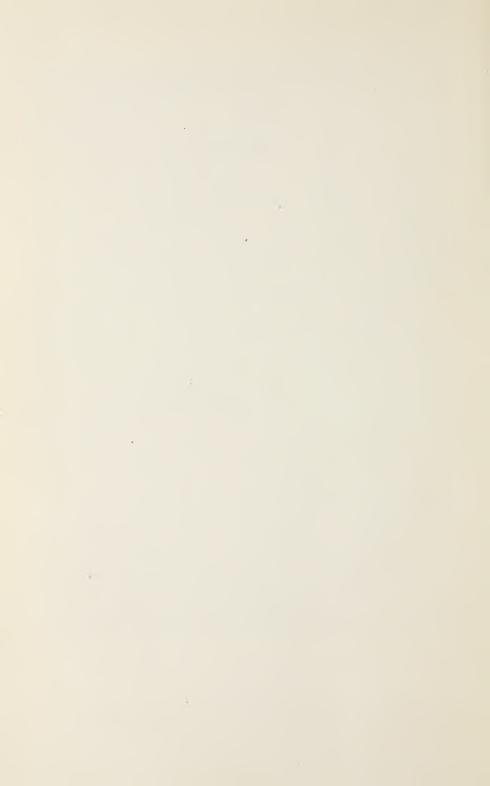
DEAF.

Name.	Parent or Guardian	Post Office.	County.
Abeita, Eloisa. Alford, James. Alford, Luther. Allen, Louis. Allen, Chas. Allen, Joe. Anderson, Carl. Anderson, Eliot. Anderson, Tom		Saguache Colo. Sp'gs Colo. Sp'gs Denver Leadville Leadville Ault Albin Colo. Sp'gs	Saguache El Paso. El Paso. Denver Lake Lake Wyoming El Paso.
Bates, Fred	A. S. Barcus Mrs. M. E. Barnett. Mrs. A. E. Bates A. J. Bean Mrs. Laura Love Isaac Beasley Isaac Beasley Mrs. Aurelia Beck Alfred Braddock C. J. Brinkerhoff Mrs. G. W. Brooks Mrs. C. Pierson Mrs. C. Pierson	Denver. Denver. Idaho Sp'gs. Denver. Longmont. Longmont. Montrose. Ouray. Mancos Ft. Collins.	Denver Denver ClearCre'k Denver Boulder Montrose Ouray Montezuma Larimer
Carnahan, Harry Castle, Nellie Chandler, Chas Chapman, Myrtle Chavez, Jose Claus, Adam Clesson, John Collins, Tommie Conley, John Cooper, Mary Corporale, Joseph	Martin Cantouwine. H. A. Carnahau Frank Castle V. H. Chandler Paul Chapman F. Chavez Conrad Claus Mrs. M. E. Clesson Mrs. C. W. Collins. J. F. Conley Mrs Martha Taft Angelo Corporale. J. R. Cummings	Denver	Denver Idaho KitCarson Elbert Archuleta Weld Otero Boulder Idaho Denver Las Animas
Denton, Karen	Byron Dean	Denver	Denver

LIST OF PUPILS. Deaf—Continued.

Name.	Parent or Guardian	Post-Office.	County.
Duffy, Ella Dunbar, Flora	Mrs. H. M. Duffy James Dunbar	Denver Monte Vista .	Denver Rio Grande
Emerick, F. T Evans, Grover	Vernon Emerick Walter Evans	Boise Meridian	Idaho Idaho
Fiedler, Lida Francisco, Marie Fraser, Richard Fraser, Richard	Mrs. W. P. Fansher Charles Fiedler Mrs. M. Francisco W. M. Fraser L. L. Fraser Felix Frazzini	Holyoke Pagosa Junc. Denver Colorado City	Phillips . Archul'ta Denver El Paso .
Gajewski, Margarita Gallegos, Phillipi Gilbert, Foster Groves, John Gustafson, Edith	Manuel Gallegos A. B. Gilbert	Denver Del Norte Grand Junc'n Pueblo Denver	Rio Grande Mesa Pueblo
Hart, Neilie	Richard Hancock Frank Hart. Frank Hart. Mrs. E. Harney Mrs. A. C. Harvat Mrs. Lee Hays Mrs. Harry Williams A. J. Henbest Mrs. S. A. Henderson Mrs. S. A. Henderson Mrs. N. B. Hewitt E. H. Herzberger Mrs. H. M. Hill George Hillier L. A. Hollenbeck Mrs. M. Horenstein. Mrs. L. E. Howe W. H. Holmes W. H. Holmes	Caldwell Caldwell Denver Denver Loveland Denver Calhan Durango Colo. Springs Pueblo Denver Weiser Ft. Collins Denver Durango Pueblo	Idaho Idaho Denver Denver Larimer El Paso La Plata El Paso La Carimer Uenver Idaho Larimer Uenver Larimer La Plata Pueblo
Janovick, Stephen Jensen, Mabel	John Janovick J. F. Jensen	Querida Denver	Custer Denver
K Kreis, Laura Kulthan, John	Geo. W. Kreis John Kuthan	Silvercliff Globeville	Custer Denver
Lane, Ruth	Chris Lamoreaux Mrs. Annie Lane E. A. Lawver	Denver	Denver

CIRLS' BED-ROOM--YOUNGER PUPILS.

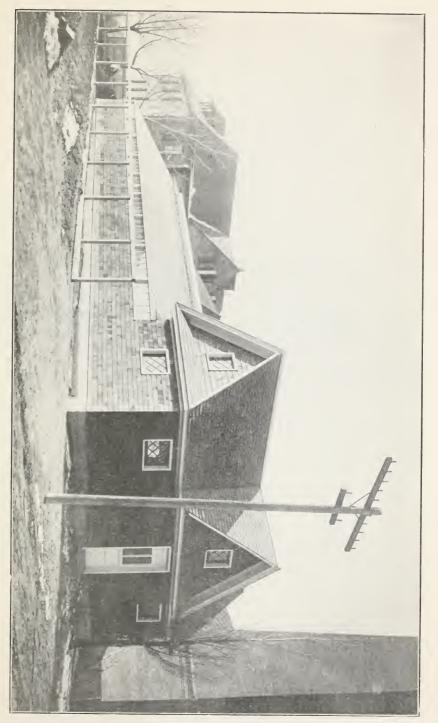


LIST OF PUPILS. Deaf—Continued.

Name.	Parent or Guardian.	Post-Office.	County.
Lewis, Ernest	J. Lerner	Boulder Idaho Sp'ings	Boulder . Clear Cr'k
Martinez, Samuel. McCamey, Milford. McCormick, Nellie. McCormick, Beatrice McCullough, Arthur McDowell, Chas Meddings, Elsie Metcalf, Harry Miller, Walter Moore, Hershell Moore, Lacie.	Louis Maneval F. Chavez Mrs. Clara McCamey Andrew McCormick Andrew McCormick Dr. C A. Bennett Mrs. Ida McCullough Mrs. Lena McDowell Mrs. Anna Meddings Mrs. H. D. Metcalf. Chas. J. Miller Geo. Mosey Geo. Moore Geo. Moore Geo. Moore Geo. Moore	Monte Vista Denver Colo. Springs Denver Et. Collins Pueblo Denver Trinidad Evanston Denver	Rio Grande Denver El Paso Denver Larimer Pueblo Denver Las Animas Wyoming
Nichols, Beatrice	John Nichols	Blackhawk	Gilpin
Olver, Ray	John Olver	Clyde	Teller
Patch, Laura Pearce, Madie Pearce, Frank Perry, Maggie Peterson, Elna Petrie, Grant Picconi, Domonic	Mrs. Madeline Parise J. W. Patch Mrs. M. P. Hunter Mrs. Orpha Pearce Jas. Perry Mrs. J. Neilson Leon Petrie Joseph Picconi Wesley Potter	Avon	Eagle Rio Grande El Paso Mesa Wyoming Jefferson La Plata.
Ramie, Lucy May Rathburn, Oscar Rice, Geo Roche, Will. Roller, Winnie Ross, Wilhelm Rowe, Beth	E. A. Rasey Mrs. P. G. Gillespie O. Y. Rathburn Dan Rice Jas. Roche W. W. Roller Geo. Ross Lewellyn Rowe J. K. Stevenson	Rocky Ford Colo. Springs IdahoSprings Colo. Springs Salida Berthoud Lamar	Otero El Paso Clear Cr'k El Paso Chaffee
Seavey, Nina Shaner, Joseph	G. A. Seavey Jacob Shaner	Colo. City Denver	El Paso Denver

LIST OF PUPILS. Deaf—Continued.

Name.	Parent or Guardian.	Post-Office.	County.
Stoner, Gwendoline Swan, James Sullivan, Lottie	J. D. Stevenson Kurtz Stoner Elmer Swan Mrs. S. A. Sullivan Mrs. M. Sullivan	Florence Colo Springs Golden Wall Rock Berthoud Colo. Springs Ft. Morgan Denver Canon City Cripple Creek	El Paso Jefferson Wy'ming Larimer. El Paso Morgan Denver . Fremont.
Thaete, Wilhelmina. Thayer Orin Thomas. John Toles, Hattie Trinmer, John Trissell, Gertrude	Nelson Taylor Wm. Thaete Otis Thayer Caleb Thomas John Toles Joseph Trimmer J F. Trissell Mrs. Wm. Tuskey	Colo. Springs Cheyenne Avondale Rifle Grand Valley Delta	El Paso. Wyoming Pueblo Garfield. Mesa Delta
V Van Schuyver, Veda	Mrs.M. VanSchuyver	Colo. City	El Paso
W Wallaesa, Chas Ward, James Ward, Velini Washburn. Cora Webster, Elsie Williams, Edith Williams, Jay Williams, Pearl Williams, Willie Williams, Irene Wilson, Powell Wilson, Harvey Wolf, Grace Wooden, Ralph Woodruff, Albert	Harry Wallaesa A. W. Ward Wm. Ward Mrs. Etta Reff Alex Webster. Edwd. Williams. Geo. Williams. Mrs. Mary Williams Mrs. Ida Williams. Fred Williams Harvey Wilson Harvey Wilson Mrs. J. Wolf Ralph Wooden Mrs. Susie Woodruff	Leadville Lamar La Veta Sopris Boxelder Denver Pueblo Steamboat Spgs Colo. Springs Lamar Trinidad Denver Colo. Springs	Lake Prowers Huerfano LasAnimas Larimer Denver Routt El Paso Prowers LasAnimas Denver Denver
Y Young, Ethel	Mrs. E. F. Scott	Denver	Denver



THE NEW GREENHOUSE.



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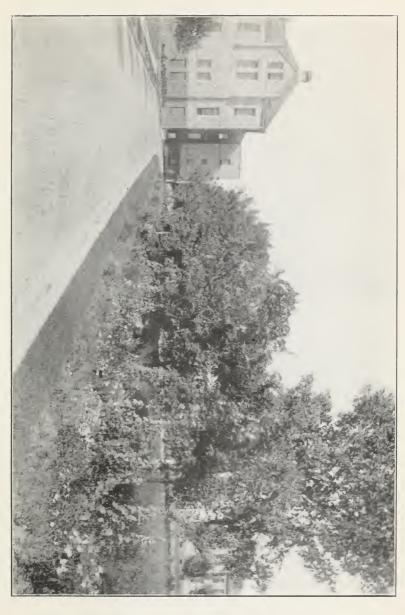
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BLIND.

Name.	Parent or	Guardian	Post Office.	County.
Anderson, Emil Atwood, Katie				
Balfour, Carl	Mrs. Laura Orville Bla H. W. Bon Fritz Botel Thos. W. C M. L. Broy	a Bantz ades fur Comish wn	Pueblo Colo. Springs Weiser Del Norte Franklin Broomfield	Puebio El Paso Idaho Rio Grande Idaho
C Cheatley, Pauline Cope, Fred Cowan, Willie	C. F. Cope		Pratt	Kansas
D Davis, Ralph Dunham, Ethel	Mrs. A. C.	Verner	Denver Norwood	Denver San Miguel
F Farley, Roland Fisher, Ray Franck, Louise Fry, Edgar	Wm. Fishe Mrs. Rosa	Franck	Denver	Denver
G Gay, Wilford Girard, Mary Greenley, Guy Griffith, Chas	J. F. Giran Ernest Gro	d eenlev	Rocky Ford	Otero Boulder
H Harris, Charlton Havlick, Eugene Hayes, Elma Healey, Lottie Higby, Myrtle Horenstein, Pearl	J. P. Hav B. F. Hay Mrs. Carri Mrs. N. L.	lickeses Healey. Turner	Denver Colo. Springs La Junta Golden	Denver El Paso Otero Jefferson.
J Johnston, Omar Jones, Iva Jones, Mabel			Colo. Springs	El Paso

LIST OF PUPILS. Blind—Continued.

Name.	Parent or Guardian	Post Office.	County.
K Keener, Hazel Kerr, Chester Kloess, Walter Kloess, Alfred Koch, Willie	Mrs. M. Keener Fred Kerr Mrs. Mary Kloess " " " Geo. Koch	Sheridan Denver Denver	Wyoming Denver Denver
McCarl, Blanche Meech, Hazel Meyers, Oscar Meyers, Alta Meyers, Ruth Mills, Nellie Montgomery, Ruth.	Frank Manning J. A. McCallister Mrs. Maggie McCarl Mrs. Laura Meech W. B. Myers W. B. Myers W. B. Myers J. C. Mills Mrs. O. Montgomery Mrs. Alice Moyer	Denver Denver Denver Longmont Longmont Carden V'lley Colo. Springs	Denver Denver Boulder Boulder Boulder Idaho El Paso
Neeley, Io	Frank Neeley	Elbert	Elbert
Ograski, Emil Owen, Walter	Gottlieb Ograski Mrs. F. Bovee	Westcliff Douglas	Custer Wyoming
Petrie, Harry	Harry Petrie	Denver	Denver
	John Quinn	Denver	Denver
Ross, Ferrie	John L. Ross	Pocatello	Idaho
Smith, Willie Smoot, Mary Smoot, Ralph Stobbe, Fred	Mrs. R. Martinez James Smith Mrs. Mary Smoot Mrs. Mary Smoot Carl Stobbe Mrs. Fred Sturdy.	Id'ho Springs Caldwell Caldwell Loveland	Clear Cr'k Idaho Idaho Larimer
Taylor, Walter Tozer, Evalyn	Argo Taylor Mrs. Edith Tozer	Saguache Dunton	Saguache Dolores
W Wade, Joseph Wade, Ellis Wayland, Ernest Williams, David Wussow, Emil	H. R. Wade H. R. Wade A. F. Wayland Mrs. M. Williams E. C. Wussow	Prospect Prospect Shawnee Denver Colo. Springs	Idah Idaho Oklahoma Denver El Paso
Zilk. Mildred	Adam Zilk Adam Zilk	Denver	Denyer



SOUTH ENTRANCE, GIRLS' HALL.



APPENDIX.

EXHIBIT A.

SHOWING OFFICERS, TEACHERS AND OTHER EMPLOYES, AND THEIR SALARIES.

Name.	Resident Non Res	Position.	Salary.
THE TE A	D	G	ΦΩ 000 00
W. K. Argo		Superintendent	\$2,000.00
Della J. Felton		Office Assistant	540.00
Katharine E. Barry		Head Teacher Oral Dept	900.00
		Teacher of Deaf	1,100.00
Mary E. Griffin	Non-res.	Teacher of Deaf	875.00
John C. Winemiller		Teacher of Deaf	800.00
Jessie Dudley	Non-res .	Teacher of Deaf	875.00
Grace Beattie	Non-res .	Teacher of Deaf	875.00
Alma Chapin	Non-res .	Teacher of Deaf	875.00
Mabel M. Park		Teacher of Deaf	825.00
Martha Rogers	Non-res	Teacher of Deaf	765.00
Josie May McGoodwin	Resident	Teacher of Deaf	500.00
Mrs. Bessie Veditz	Non-res	Teacher of Deaf-Blind	700.00
Louise Sloan	Non-res	Teacher of Deaf-Blind	725.00
H. R. Chapman	Non-res	Teacher of Blind	1,400.00
Mrs. A. L. Bohrer	Non-res	Teacher of Blind	875.00
Jessie Baker		Teacher of Blind	875.00
Myrna L. Woodruff .		Teacher of Blind	650.00
A. L. Bohrer		Teacher Music & Tuning	1,125.00
Mary E. Churchman.	Resident	Teacher of Music	650.00
Edwin Dietrich	Non-res	Teacher of Violin, per Mo	40.00
Mary E. Thedinga	Non-res.	Teacher of Sloyd and Do-	20100
Traily 141 1 110 ang any		mestic Science	650.00
Helen Woodsmall	Non-res	Teacher of Physical Cul-	000100
Troiting in Oddoniani	1 1011 1001.	ture, per Month	40.00
C. C. Owen	Non-res	Teacher of Carpentry	1,000.00
H. M. Harbert	Non-res	Teacher of Printing	800.00
S. W. Brown	Non-res	Teacher of Broom and	000.00
S. W. Blown	14011-105	Mattress-making, Mon.	80.00
Carl Walter	Non-ree	Teacher of Shoemaking,	00.00
Carr warter,	1.011-105	per month	65.00
Mrs. E. C. Allen	Resident	Teacher of Sewing (deaf)	350.00
Pearl Reid		Teacher of Sewing (dear)	500.00
Georgia A Sutton	Resident	[
Georgia A. Sutton	Resident	Matron	500.00 400.00
Margaret D. Carson		Girls' Matron	400.00
Sadie Young	Resident	Girls' Supervisor	315.00
Mrs. Louise Burnett.	Resident	Boys' Supervisor	315.00
Mrs. Susie Johnston	Resident	Boys' Supervisor	315.00
Fred Bates	Resident	Supervisor and Storek'p'r	360.00
Mrs. Agnes Westcott.		Nurse.,	360.00
J. W. Taylor	Non-res	Engineer, per month	85.00
J. H. Marshall	Non-res	Nightwatch, per month.	40.00
Edwin Pierce	Resident	Gardener, per month	50.00
Clark Hankins	Resident	Fireman, per month	35.00
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APPENDIX. Exhibit A—Continued.

Name.	Resident Non-res.	Position.	Salary.
Frank Kent Tom Lee. Oreka Peterson. Lola Giles Katherine Giles Walter Packer. George Robinson. Walter Crooks. Chas. Greenslate. Louise Garnier Mary Reid Grace Cameron. Georgia Clements	Resident Resident Resident Resident Resident Non-res Resident Resident Resident Resident Resident Resident	Hostler, per mouth Cook, per month Assistant cook, per mon. Baker, per month Laundress, per month " Assistant, per month Dairyman, per month Janitor, per month Laborer on grounds, mo. Laborer on grounds, mo. Laborer on grounds, mo. House girl, per month House girl, per month	40.00 40.00 35.00 45.00 45.00 30.00 30.00 25.00 25.00 25.00
		House girl, per month House girl, per month	25.00 25.00



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APPENDIX.

EXHIBIT B.

INFORMATION REGARDING NEW PUPILS ADMITTED SINCE LAST REPORT.

DEAF.

No	Name	Born	Became	Cause	Born in	Parents	Deaf Re-	Partial	Admitted	itted.
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380	380 Arguello, Schon	May 24,	88 7 years	Unknown	Colorado No	No	None	Partial	Jan. 2	, 1905
381	881 Cooper, Mary	ლ	18875 years	Sup'rative Otitis Ohio		No.	None	Partial.	Jan. 1	9,1905
382	382 Moore, Hershell.	Mar. 4,]	1895 Congenital	Congenital	. Texas	:	2 bro.1 sis	sis Partial.	Jan. 3	1, 1905
383	Moore, Lacie	Mar. 6, 1		:	•	No	3 bro	Partial	Jan. 3	Ξ,
384	Desauliniers, Don Jan.	25, 1	893 3 years	Fever	a	No	None	Partial.	Sept.	6,
385	85 Fraser, Richard E Jan.	26, 1	98 18 months			No	None		Sept.	6, 1905
386	886 Gustafson, Edith A July	4, 1	98 18 months.	898 18 months. Typhoid fever.	:	No	None	Partial.	"	99 99
387	Hancock, Richard	2, 1	897 4 years	Scarlet fever	Colorado	No	None	Total	,,	"
388	888 Henbest, Don	Sept. 9, 18	898 9 months	Who'ping c'ugh	Kansas	No	None	Total	"	"
389	389 Lawver, Esther	Jan. 23, 18	898 16 months. Measies.		Colorado .		None	Partial.	"	,,,
3300	McCormick, B	7, 1	895 Congenital Congenita	l	Kansas		None	Total	"	2))!
391	Miller, Walter	~	89613 months Malaria.		Missouri	:	:	Total	"	"
302	302'Moore, Herman	1	899 Congenital Congenita	tal	Texas	:	30	is Total	"	"
393	393 Ramie, Lucy May Jan. 16,		86		Missouri	No	:	Total	"	"
304	Rathburn, Oscar.	Jones 4	889 2 years	Who'ping c'ugn	z'ugh Texas	:	None	Partial.	,,,	99 99
395	395 Ross, Wilhelm	-	8943 years		Russia	:	None	Total	"	22 32
396	396 Stevenson, Eliza	-	.8988 months	er	Colorado	:	None	Partial.	,,	22 23
397	397 Lerner, Mary	15, 1	8954 years	Fever	Colorado No	:	None	Total		2, 1905
398	398 Olver, Ray	Feb. 8, 18	898 10 months.		Colorado.	:	None	Partial	Mar. 1	9, 1906
<u>ල</u>	399 Anderson, Tom	Second .	1888 12 years	Scarlet Fever	Texas	:	None	Partial.	Sept. (3, 1906
400		17, 1	895 3 years	"	Colorado No	:	None	Partial.	"	"
401	tilb't	Jan. 15, 18	897 4 years		Michigan.	No	None	Total	,,	,, ,,
405	102 Kreis, Laura	Sept. 28, 18	1898 9 months	Abscess	Colorado	No.	None	Total	"	22 22
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Blind Re- latives	None	None	None	None	:	None	None	None	Mother	1 Brother	1 Brother	None	None	1 bro, 1 sis	1 bro, 1 sis	2 sisters . Partial	None Partial
Parents Related	No.	No.	No	No.	:	Consins	No	No.	No.	No.	No.	No	No	No.	No.	No.	No
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Name.	:	180 Keener, Hazel	Montgom'ry, Ruth	Petrie, Harry	Brown, Raymond Feb. 7, 1	Smith, William		:	:	:		190 McCallister, Elw'd	91 McCarl, Blanche	192 Myers, Ruth	•)scar	Neeley, Io
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GENERAL INFORMATION CONCERNING THE COLOR-ADO SCHOOL FOR THE DEAF AND BLIND.

CHARACTER OF THE SCHOOL.

The school, which was established in 1874, is supported by the state for the purpose of educating its deaf and blind children. who by their misfortune cannot be instructed in the schools for children possessing all their faculties. The school has fulfilled its mission when it has educated these children to an extent equal to that attained by children of normal faculties through the instrumentality of the public schools of the state. To accomplish this end much time and patience need to be exercised by trained specialists in these particular fields of instruction, and buildings provided in which the pupils may be assembled from their homes in various parts of the state, in order to receive such instruction at a minimum expense. state of Colorado is abreast with her sister states in provision for this branch of her educational system, and has had buildings erected and equipped for the deaf and blind at this school. The general management is under the control of a board of trustees. five in number, residents of the state. The administration of the affairs of the school is entrusted to competent and experienced officers and teachers, who are familiar with the methods employed in instructing the deaf and the blind.

TERMS OF ADMISSION.

All deaf and blind persons, of sound mind and body, between the ages of six and twenty-one, actual residents of Colorado, are entitled to admission to the school free of charge. This includes all those whose hearing or sight is so impaired as to prevent them obtaining an education in the public schools. Tuition, board and washing, medicines and medical attendance. books and apparatus used in teaching, in short, everything is furnished free of cost except clothing and traveling expenses. In cases of absolute poverty, the respective counties assume the expense of traveling and clothing. While no persons are taken into the school for the purpose of giving medical treatment, all children coming to us are examined by a specialist and treatment is given wherever it is needed. The sick have the very best of care and attention.

SESSIONS.

The school opens on the first Wednesday in September and closes on the first Wednesday of the following June, thus giving the pupils nine months at school and three months at home each year.

TRADES.

It is the aim of the school so to educate the pupils partaking of its benefits that they may on finishing the course, be able not only to communicate intelligently with those with whom they are thrown, but successfully to follow some certain branch of handicraft as well. The trades of printing, carpentry, baking, broom-making, shoemaking, matress making, piano-tuning and cane seating are now taught, and other trades will be introduced as soon as the means at hand will permit. The girls are instructed in dressmaking, hammock weaving, needlework and general housekeeping.

GENERAL REMARKS.

The School for the Deaf and the Blind of Colorado is an educational institution, and for this purpose it is equipped and officered. This fact should be borne in mind and the idea that it is an asylum, or hospital for afflicted children who are burdens to their parents and friends, should be eradicated from the public mind.

Persons desirous of entering children should carefully observe the following:

FIRST—A child once entered is expected to remain until the close of the session and not be withdrawn without the consent of the superintendent, and in case pupils are withdrawn without his consent they forfeit the right to the privileges of the school unless permitted to return by special action of the board of trustees.

SECOND—All pupils expecting to attend the school should be sent promptly on the opening day, and such as are not entered within fifteen days after the opening, except for such reasons as are deemed valid by the superintendent, shall be denied admission until the opening of the next shool year.

THIRD—All children should, if possible, be vaccinated before entering.

FOURTH—Parents must furnish postage in all cases and may hear from their children in proportion to the amount fur-

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nished. The session lasts about forty weeks, Parents sending us fifty cents (50 cts.) may hear from their children once a week. ten letters and thirty postals. Those who do not furnish postage will not hear except in case of illness, when a report is made daily until the child is out of danger.

FIFTH—A contingent fee of \$5 should be deposited in every case to purchase such articles as clothing, shoes, etc., likely to be needed during the session. A strict account will be kept of all expenditures and an itemized statement made at close of the school year. Clothing and shoes may be sent from home or purchased by us here, but nothing will be furnished without the cash beforehand except in the case of county pupils.

Sixth—All clothing should be of good quality and well made, with buttons sewed on tightly. Good shoes are cheapest. Woolen underwear and woolen stockings are not needed unless the child be very delicate. Our children romp and play a great deal, as all healthy children should, and are consequently very hard on clothing. All articles should be plainly marked. The best way is to sew in the name with turkey red, which will last as long as the garment.

SEVENTH—Parents will be expected to pay for property wantonly destroyed by their children. We find that nothing makes children so careful as to know that the parent is held responsible for their carelessness, and parents are as much interested as we are in raising their children to a right appreciation of their responsibilities in life.

Eighth—While we are always glad to have parents visit their children, they cannot be entertained at the school. Parents are at liberty to have their children stay with them down town over night but not to interfere with the class work when it can be helped.

NINTH—All packages sent should be fully prepaid and, if you wish its receipt acknowledged, should be sent in care of the superintendent.

TENTH—No attention will be paid to any complaint or any communication of any kind not addressed to the superintendent or to the board of trustees. All money should be sent by express, money order or registered letter directly to the superintendent. who will at once acknowledge receipt of same.

ELEVENTH—The superintendent can, upon application, secure half rates over the roads for pupils, but not for persons accompanying them. Teachers are sent out to the most important points at the opening and close of school to assist the pupils in making changes and to accompany them to the school.

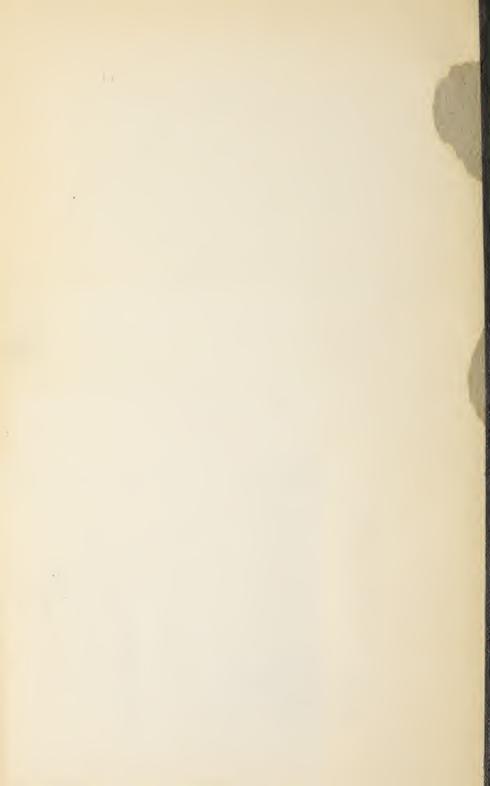
TWELFTH—Please bear in mind that the school is more than a quarter of a mile from the nearest depot and a full mile from two of them. The Colorado Springs Transfer Company, which meets all trains, gives special rates to children coming to us.

For any further information apply to

SUPERINTENDENT.

Colorado School for the Deaf and the Blind, Colorado Springs, Colo.





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